

# Surplus goods and government sales

Several government agencies have surplus and confiscated items available which may be purchased by private citizens. Many businesses contact consumers through the mail or classified ads claiming they can provide information on purchasing these goods. Don't pay for information that is available free-of-charge. For information on surplus goods and government sales, contact these agencies:

## Vehicles

Seized Vehicles  
U.S. Customs Service  
(seized property)  
410/962-4046

U.S. Marshal's Office  
West District  
608/264-5161  
East District  
414/297-3707

## Government Surplus

General Services  
Administration (GSA)  
Vehicle Hotline  
800/472-2886  
website:  
<http://www.greatlakes.gsa.gov/auction.htm>

To get on the GSA Auction mailing list, send stamped self-addressed envelope to:  
GSA Auction Mailing List  
230 S. Dearborn St. ms 34-7  
Chicago, IL 60604

## Real Estate

U.S. Marshal's Office  
West District  
608/264-5161  
East District  
414/297-3707

GSA Customer Service  
Bureau  
230 S. Dearborn St. Rm 2340A  
Chicago IL 60604  
1-800/472-1313

Dept. of Housing & Urban  
Development  
310 W. Wisconsin Ave.  
Ste 1380  
Milwaukee, WI 53203-2289  
414/297-3214 (general info)  
414/297-3235 (single family  
homes)  
website: <http://www.hud.gov>

## Used Government Equipment & Military Sales

Department of Defense  
800/468-8289

U.S. Marshal's Office  
East District  
414/297-3707  
West District  
608/264-5161

## Other Property

GSA Customer Service  
Bureau  
816/823-3714

U.S. Customs Service (seized  
property)  
410/962-4046

If you have specific questions,  
write to:

Public Affairs/U.S.  
Marshal's Service  
600 Army Navy Drive  
Arlington, VA 22202  
312/353-0101 (auction  
hotline)

For more information or to file  
a complaint, contact the  
Bureau of Consumer  
Protection at:

**(800) 422 7128**

**FAX: (608) 224-4939**

**TTY: (608) 224-5058**

**E-MAIL:**

**datcphotline@datcp.state.wi.us**

**WEBSITE:**

**<http://.state.wi.us/>**